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**CUS PAT 6371268 RETENTION MECHANISM FOR VEHICLE WHEEL ASSEMBLY, Assignee: Warn Industries, Inc. (Apr 16, 2002)**

### History

- => 1 RETENTION MECHANISM FOR VEHICLE WHEEL ASSEMBLY, US PAT 6371268, 2002 WL 556466 (U.S. PTO Utility Apr 16, 2002) (NO. 661479)

### Prior Art

- C 2 US PAT 6082514 ACTUATOR FOR CLUTCH RING, Assignee: Warn Industries, Inc., (U.S. PTO Utility 2000)
- C 3 US PAT 5984422 INBOARD MOUNTED WHEEL END DISCONNECT UNIT, Assignee: Bosch Braking Systems, (U.S. PTO Utility 1999)
- C 4 US PAT 5740895 INTEGRATED WHEEL END SYSTEM, Assignee: Warn Industries, (U.S. PTO Utility 1998)
- C 5 US PAT 5443316 LIVE SPINDLE HUB WITH INBOARD BEARING RETENTION, Assignee: The Budd Company, (U.S. PTO Utility 1995)
- C 6 US PAT 5366300 LIVE SPINDLE HUB WITH INBOARD BEARING RETENTION, Assignee: The Budd Company, (U.S. PTO Utility 1994)
- C 7 US PAT 5353890 LOCKING HUB CLUTCH SYSTEM, Assignee: Warn Industries, (U.S. PTO Utility 1994)
- C 8 US PAT 5772373 NUT AND LOCKING DEVICE, Assignee: Warn Industries, Inc., (U.S. PTO Utility 1998)
- C 9 US PAT 6234289 PNEUMATIC ANNULAR ACTUATOR, Assignee: Warn Industries, Inc., (U.S. PTO Utility 2001)
- C 10 US PAT 5618143 SPINDLE NUT AND LOCKING DEVICE, Assignee: Warn Industries, Inc., (U.S. PTO Utility 1997)
- C 11 US PAT 6109411 VEHICLE DRIVE TRAIN, Assignee: Warn Industries, Inc., (U.S. PTO Utility 2000)
- C 12 US PAT 6170628 VEHICLE DRIVE TRAIN, Assignee: Warn Industries, Inc., (U.S. PTO Utility 2001)
- C 13 US PAT 6089673 VEHICLE WHEEL HUB AND BEARING RETENTION SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING SAME, Assignee: Kelsey-Hayes Company, (U.S. PTO Utility 2000)
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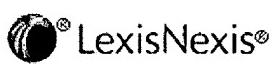
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